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To: Assistant Secretary, Indian Affairs*

Director, Fish and Wildlife Service Director, National Park Service Director, Geological Survey

Director, Bureau of Land Management Commissioner, Bureau of Reclamation

From: Team Leader, Natural Resources Management

Office of Environmental Policy and Compliance

Subject: Scoping Document and Notice of Scoping Meetings and Site Visit and Soliciting

Scoping Comments on the Subsequent Minor License Application for the Hyrum City

Hydroelectric Project, FERC No. 946-007; Cache County, Utah

(ER 06/715)(Agency deadline: August 30, 2006; Scoping Meetings and Site Visit: July 31, 2006)

The Federal Energy Regulatory Commission has provided the Department with the subject notice and Scoping document. The documents were issued on July 11, 2006, and can be viewed on the Commission's website at: http://www.ferc.gov, using the "eLibrary" link.

This notice gives you an early opportunity to provide technical assistance and/or to participate from your areas of special expertise or jurisdiction.

If your bureau has serious concerns with this project, you should review and participate in the process, as discussed in the notice and Scoping document. This is our opportunity to express our concerns and influence the licensing process. The Application is not ready for environmental analysis at this time.

Written comments should be made directly to FERC no later than **August 30, 2006**. Please provide a copy of any comments you make to this Office. The related reviews are under ERs 03/0547 and 06/0453.

/s/7/12/06 Vijai N. Rai cc: Assistant Secretaries

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